REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| Application Number: 10/560,425 | Confirmation Number: 8859 | | | | | | | |
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| Group Art Unit: 2617 | | | | | | | | |
| Examiner: Tangela T. Chambers | | | | | | | | |

| Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | | | Examiner: Tangela T. Chambers Attorney Docket Number: 09952.0015 | | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. | | | |
| Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. | Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: <u>Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise.</u> If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment. | | | | | | | | | |
| | a. | | Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. | | | | | | | |
| | | i. | | Consider the arguments in the Ap | peal E | Brief or Re | oly Bri | ief previ o u | sly filed on | |
| | | ii. | | Other | | | | | | |
| | b. | | DO NOT E | NTER the amendment(s) previously | filed o | n | | An altern | ate submission is attached. | |
| | C. | \boxtimes | Enclosed s | ubmission: | | | | | | |
| | | i. | \boxtimes | Amendment/Reply | | | iii. | | Information Disclosure Statement | |
| | | ii. | | Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) | | | iv. | | Other | |
| 2. Miscellaneous | | | | | | | | | | |
| | a. | Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17() required.) | | | | | | | | |
| | b. | | Other | • | | | | | 3() | |
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| 3. | Fee | es | | | | | | | | |
| | a. | \boxtimes | The filing fee is calculated as follows: | | | | | | | |
| | | i. | \boxtimes | \$810.00 RCE fee required under 3 | 37 C.F | .R. § 1.17 | (e) | | | |
| | | ii. | ii. Petition for extension of time for (_Months) \$ | | | | | | | |
| | | iii. | | | | | | | | |
| | b. | \boxtimes | An electron | ic payment in the amount of \$810.00 |) is inc | duded with | this i | filing via El | FS-Web. | |
| | C. | ☒ | The Commi Account 06 | issioner is authorized to charge any o -0916. | deficie | encies in th | e filin | g fees, or | credit any overpayments to Deposit | |
| | | | | Signature of Applicar | ıt, At | torney, a | r Ag | ent Requ | iired | |
| Name: David M. Longo (571) 203-2763 | | | | | 3 | Reg. No. 53,235 | | | | |
| Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, L.L.P. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Signature: a audi M. hungo Date: March | | | | | | larch 15, 2010 | | | | |
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